## **DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As the inventor named below, I declare that:

I believe I am the sole original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought in application Ser. No. , entitled

"Reservoir for a water treatment device and manufacturing method of the reservoir"

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims thereof, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the National or PCT International filing date of the continuation-in-part application, if applicable; and

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §120 of any United States application(s), or under §365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application.

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All statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and these statements are made with the knowledge that the making of willful false statements or the like is punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY: I hereby appoint all practitioners associated with Customer Number (Shoemaker and Mattare) as my attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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